

**NFIRS**

**Data Entry Browser  
Interface (DEBI)**

**<http://www.nfirs.fema.gov/webtools/>**

## National Fire Incident Reporting System

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### Web-based Tools

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### NFIRS 5.0 Web-based Tools

Welcome to the USFA NFIRS 5.0 Web-based Tools section. General Information about the new web-based tools is provided below as well as access to each of the web-based tools currently available.

#### Background

New web-based tools which provide reporting and data transmission capabilities through the use of standard Internet technology are now being offered to State Program Managers participating in the USFA NFIRS 5.0. Following the test period of each tool, a phased approach for its release and implementation allows State Program Managers to review system requirements and plan their state's user participation.

If State Program Managers choose to do so, they may assign to selected users in their state the necessary permission for one or more of the new web-based tools. The user must have an activated NFIRS 5.0 User account with necessary permissions assigned for the tool use or action.

Using the web-based NFIRS 5.0 Tools requires Internet connectivity, a browser version and PC that meets necessary system requirements as outlined for each tool on its information page.

- [Review system requirements](#) and [login](#) to the NFIRS Data Entry Browser Interface
- [Review system requirements](#) and [login](#) to the NFIRS Summary Output Reports Tool
- [Review system requirements](#) and [submit a file](#) to the NFIRS Bulk Import Utility
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**User  
State is  
'DD' for  
Dept. of  
Defense**



## **National Fire Incident Reporting System**

### **Login**

\* User State:

\* Username:

\* Password:

Submit

Built on: 05/27/2010 02:21 PM



## National Fire Incident Reporting System

[Home](#) [Incident Search](#) [New Incident](#) [Open Fire Department](#) [Change Password](#)


State: TR

Fire Department: DOD Training

Username: CCULPEPPER

### Incident Information

No incident selected

- Information selected on a page is NOT saved until clicking save or moving to another tab. Save your data before navigating to a different module. Incident validation, pre-filled fields, and relational edits are applied only after a page is saved. When saving within a module, the application displays the date and time of the current save.
- All input fields marked with an asterisk (\*) are required.
-  Any field which is marked with this icon is a field where multiple items can be selected at once. To select multiple items, hold the CTRL key while choosing the desired items. When opening a tab, items that are highlighted are values that have already been selected and saved.
- Lookup fields: As information is typed into a lookup field, the entries will filter down to the closest matches until only one match remains. The remaining matches are sorted in order of closest match. Clear the field to show all possible choices. Once selected, a lookup field can be cleared if you enter the field and user either the Backspace or Delete key, followed by either Tab or Enter.
- For tabs which contain tables such as the K1 tab of Basic Module, the **Save Current** button will save your changes to the currently highlighted record, and that record will remain the active one. The **Save and Create New** button will also save the information to the item that is highlighted, but will also create a new record and automatically make that new record the active record to be edited.

# Information page for DEBI fields

## National Fire Incident Reporting System


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### Incident Information

No incident selected



**You can do an  
Incident Search,  
Open Fire  
Department,  
Change Password  
Or Add a  
New Incident.**

- Information selected on a page is NOT saved until the module. Incident validation, pre-filled fields, and related application displays the date and time of the current session.
- All input fields marked with an asterisk (\*) are required.
-  Any field which is marked with this icon is a field that requires additional information. To select multiple items, hold the CTRL key while clicking. Items that have already been selected and saved.
- Lookup fields: As information is typed into a lookup field, the remaining matches are sorted in order of closest match. Once selected, a lookup field can be cleared if you click the 'X' button.
- For tabs which contain tables such as the K1 tab or the Incident tab, a record can be recorded, and that record will remain the active one until a new record is highlighted, but will also create a new record and add it to the table.

### Incident Information

State: TR

FDID: 0

Incident Date: 08/15/2010

Incident Number:

Exposure: 0

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

❗ **Critical errors exist for this incident.** [View the error list](#) for more details.

### Incident Key Information

#### Section A - Key Information

☐ No Activity

ⓘ \* Incident Date:

08/15/2010

ⓘ \* Incident Number:

ⓘ \* Exposure:

000

ⓘ \* FDID:

FD State:

TR

ⓘ Station:

Last Exported Date: <no value>

Incident Last Updated: <no value>

Last Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Original Save Date: <no value>

Originally Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Save

**By default,  
current date  
is inserted.**

### Incident Information

State: TR

FDID: 0

Incident Date: 08/15/2010

Incident Number:

Exposure: 0

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

❗ **Critical errors exist for this incident.** [View the error list](#) for more details.

### Incident Key Information

#### Section A - Key Information

☐ No Activity

ⓘ \* Incident Date:

08/15/2010

ⓘ \* Incident Number:

1005000

ⓘ \* Exposure:

000

ⓘ \* FDID:

63393 - Naval Safety Center

FD State:

TR

ⓘ Station:

Last Exported Date: <no value>

Incident Last Updated: <no value>

Last Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Original Save Date: <no value>

Originally Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

**Enter  
Key  
Information**

**Critical  
errors  
exist  
because  
Incident  
Key  
Informatio  
n and  
Basic  
Module do  
not exist**

Save

### Incident Information

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0

[New Exposure](#)

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

❗ **Critical errors and warnings exist for this incident.** [View the error list](#) for more details.

### Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)  
[Basic](#)

### Add Module

Select a module



Add

**Basic Module becomes available after saving Key Information.**

- Incident saved at 19:47:10 EDT

### Incident Key Information

#### Section A - Key Information

☐ No Activity

ⓘ \* Incident Date:

08/15/2010

ⓘ \* Incident Number:

1005000

ⓘ \* Exposure:

000

ⓘ \* FDID:

63393 - Naval Safety Center

FD State:

TR

ⓘ Station:

Last Exported Date: <no value>

Incident Last Updated: 08/15/2010 19:47:10

Last Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Original Save Date: 08/15/2010 19:47:10

Originally Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Save



## Basic Module - Sections B through E

B-E F-J K1 K2 L-M Special Study



Save

Next Tab


### Section B - Location Type

☐ Address Provided on Wildland Form


OR

 \* Incident Address Type:  Census Tract:

1 - Street address


 Number or Milepost:

375


 Street Prefix:


 \* Street or Highway Name:


A

 Street Type:


ST - Street

 Street Suffix:

 Apartment:

 \* City:


Norfolk

 \* State:


VA - Virginia

 \* Zip:

23511


 Cross Street, Directions, or National Grid, as Applicable:

### Section C - Incident Type

 \* Incident Type:


424 - Carbon monoxide incident


### Section D - Aid Given or Received

 \* Aid Given or Received:


N - None

Given to FDID:


 Given to FDID State:

 Given to Incident Number:

### Section E1 - Dates and Times


 \* Alarm Date:

08/15/2010


 \* Alarm Time:

12:42:00

☐ Date Same As Alarm


 \* Arrival Date:

08/15/2010


 \* Arrival Time:

12:46:00

☐ Date Same As Alarm


 Controlled Date:

08/15/2010


 \* Controlled Time:

13:05:00

☐ Date Same As Alarm


 \* Last Unit Cleared Date:

08/15/2010


 \* Last Unit Cleared Time:

13:10:00


### Section E2 - Shifts and Alarms

 Fire Department Shift:

A

 Number of Alarms For Incident:

1

 Incident District:


Next Tab

Save



Save Next Tab Previous Tab


Section F - Actions Taken

 \* Action Taken 1:

86 - Investigate


 Action Taken 2:

51 - Ventilate


 Action Taken 3:

Section G1 - Resources


☐ Resource Form Used

 \* # of Suppression Apparatus:


1

 \* # of Suppression Personnel:


4


 \* # of EMS Apparatus:

1

 \* # of EMS Personnel:


2

 \* # of Other Apparatus:

 \* # of Other Personnel:

☐ Resource Counts Include Mutual Aid


Section G2 - Estimated Dollar Losses and Values

 Property Loss:

\$



None

 Pre-Incident Property Value:



None

Contents Loss: ☐ None \$ ☐ None

### Section H1 - Casualties

☒ None ☐ \* Fire Service Fatalities: ☐ \* Fire Service Injuries: ☐ \* Non Fire Service Fatalities: ☐ \* Non Fire Service Injuries:

### Section H2 - Detector

☐ Detector Alerted Occupants:

1 - Detector alerted occupants

### Section H3 - Hazardous Materials Release

☐ Hazardous Materials:

N - None

### Section I - Mixed Use Property

☐ Mixed Use:

40 - Residential use

### Section J - Property Use

☐ \* Property Use:

419 - 1 or 2 family dwelling

Previous Tab

Next Tab

Save


## Basic Module - Section K1


B-E F-J **K1** K2 L-M Special Study


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Previous Tab

### Section K1 - Person/Entity Involved


 Business Name:


 Phone:

 Prefix:

 First Name:


 MI:


 Last Name:


 Suffix:





Address Same as Incident Location


 Number or Milepost:


 Street Prefix:


 Street or Highway Name:


 Street Type:

 Street Suffix:

 Apartment Number:

 PO Box:

 City:

 State:

 Zip:

Save Current

Save and Create New

First Name

MI

Last Name

\*

[Edit](#)

[Delete](#)

\* indicates current record

Previous Tab

Next Tab

## Basic Module - Section K2

B-E

F-J

K1

**K2**

L-M

Special Study


Save


Next Tab


Previous Tab


### Section K2 - Owner

☐ Same as Previous


 Business Name:


 Phone:

 Prefix:


 First Name:


 MI:


 Last Name:

 Suffix:


☐ Address Same as Incident Location


 Number or Milepost:


 Street Prefix:

 Street or Highway Name:


 Street Type:

 Street Suffix:

 Apartment Number:

 PO Box:

 City:

 State:

 Zip:



Previous Tab

Next Tab

Save

## Basic Module - Sections L through M

B-E

F-J

K1

K2

**L-M**

Special Study

Save

Next Tab

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### Section L - Remarks

#### Incident Remarks:


Carbon Monoxide detector activated. Tested area - no carbon monoxide detected. Unit 7 years old - advised occupant to purchase a new unit.


### Section M - Authorization

#### Officer in Charge


 First Name:

Stanley


 MI:

 Last Name:


Willingham


 Personnel ID:

1234

 Rank:

Captain


 Report Assignment:

 Authorization


Date: 08/15/2010


## Member Making Report

☐ Same as Officer in Charge


 First Name:

Stanley


 MI:

 Last Name:


Willingham


 Personnel ID:

1234

 Rank:

Captain

 Report Assignment:

 Authorization

Date:  
08/15/2010

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Save





# Incident Saved & Critical Errors do not exist

Home Incident Search New Incident Open Fire Department Change Password

National Fire Incident Reporting System

**Incident Information**

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0  
[New Exposure](#)  
[Delete](#)  
[Close](#)

**Existing Modules**

[Key Information](#)  
[Basic](#)

**Add Module**

Select a module


• Incident saved at 19:11:30 EDT


**Basic Module - Sections L through M**

B-E F-J K1 K2 **L-M** Special Study

Save Next Tab Previous Tab

Section L - Remarks

 Incident Remarks:



# Removed Zip Code as test & saved

- Incident saved at 19:16:07 EDT

## Basic Module - Sections B through E

B-E	F-J	K1	K2	L-M	Special Study
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Save

Next Tab

Section B - Location Type

☐ Address Provided on Wildland Form

OR

ⓘ \* Incident Address Type:

1 - Street address

ⓘ Census Tract:

ⓘ Number or Milepost:

375

ⓘ Street Prefix:

ⓘ \* Street or Highway Name:

A

ⓘ Street Type:

ST - Street

ⓘ Street Suffix:

ⓘ Apartment:

ⓘ \* City:


Norfolk

ⓘ \* State:

VA - Virginia

ⓘ \* Zip:

ⓘ Cross Street, Directions, or National Grid, as Applicable:




### Incident Information

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0

[New Exposure](#)

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

 **Critical errors exist for this incident.** [View the error list](#) for more details.

### Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)

[Basic](#)

### Add Module

Select a module ▼

Add

- Incident save

### Basic Module

B-E

F-J

Save

N

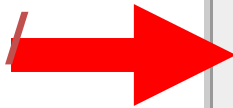
Section B -

☐ Address

OR

 \* Incident

**Critical  
Errors  
Exist /  
View  
the  
error  
list**



# Error list shows a Critical error exists on the Basic Module. The Zip Code is Required data.

[Critical errors only](#) [Export to carat-separated value file](#)

State: TR, FDID: 63393, Incident Date: 08/15/2010, Incident Number: 1005000, Exposure: 0

Module	Attribute	Error	Severity
Basic Module	Zip	Required Data	Critical

# Added the Zip Code back in & Saved

B-E

F-J

K1

K2

Special Study

Save

Next Tab

## Section B - Location Type

☐ Address Provided on Wildland Form

OR

\* Incident Address Type:  Census Tract:

1 - Street address

Number or Milepost:

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Street Prefix:

\* Street or Highway Name:

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Street Type:

ST - Street

Street Suffix:

Apartment:

\* City:

Norfolk

\* State:

VA - Virginia

\* Zip:

23511

Cross Street, Directions, or National Grid, as Applicable:

### Incident Information

State: TR

FDID: 63393

Incident Date: 08/15/2010

Incident Number: 1005000

Exposure: 0

[New Exposure](#)

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

### Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)

[Basic](#)

### Add Module

Select a module

Add

- Incident saved at 19:22:50

## Basic Module - Section B

B-E

F-J

K1

K2

Save

Next Tab

Section B - Location Type

☐ Address Provided on

**Critical  
Error  
Message is no  
longer  
displayed**

If  
needed,  
additional  
Modules  
can be  
added  
from  
the drop

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### Incident Information

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0  
[New Exposure](#)  
[Delete](#)  
[Close](#)

### Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)  
[Basic](#)

### Add Module

Select a module ▼

- Select a module
- Fire Service Casualty
- EMS Casualty
- HazMat
- Wildland
- Apparatus/Personnel

Incident s

### Basic Mo

B-E F

Save

Section

☐ Add

OR



# Incident Search

[Home](#) [Incident Search](#) [New Incident](#) [Open Fire Department](#) [Change Password](#)

## Incident Information

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0

[New Exposure](#)

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

## Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)

[Basic](#)

## Add Module

Select a module

Add

## Incident Search

### Key Search Criteria

FDID: Incident Number: Exposure Number: Validity:

1005000

Incident Type:

FD State: Incident From Date: Incident To Date: Property Use:

TR

### Address Search Criteria

Address Type: Census Tract:

Number/ Mile: Street Prefix: Street or Highway: Street Type: Street Suffix:

Apt. or Suite:

City: State: Zip:

Clear

Search



You can  
search  
on any  
field,  
including  
Invalid  
Incidents



# You can Open the Incident or Delete (If you have Permission) the Incident after Selecting

Home Incident Search New Incident Open Fire Department Change Password

**Incident Information**  
State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0  
[New Exposure](#)  
[Delete](#)  
[Close](#)

**Existing Modules**  
[Key Information](#)  
[Basic](#)

**Add Module**  
Select a module

## Incident Search

Search Results: 1

Open Incident	FDID	State	Date	Incident Number
<a href="#">Open</a>	63393	TR	08/15/2010	1005000

[Modify search criteria](#)

1 incidents found. [Modify search criteria](#)

Exposure	Validity	Street or Highway	City	Select
0	V	A	Norfolk	<input type="checkbox"/>

[Delete Selected](#)

[Delete Selected](#)

### Incident Information

State: TR  
FDID: 63393  
Incident Date: 08/15/2010  
Incident Number: 1005000  
Exposure: 0

[New Exposure](#)

[Delete](#)

[Close](#)

### Existing Modules

[Key Information](#)

[Basic](#)



### Add Module

Select a module

Add

## Incident Key Information

### Section A - Key Information

☐ No Activity

\* Incident Date:

08/15/2010

\* Incident Number:

1005000

\* Exposure:

000

\* FDID:

63393 - Naval Safety Center

FD State:

TR

Station:

Last Exported Date: <no value>

Incident Last Updated: 08/20/2010 19:22:47

Last Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Original Save Date: 08/15/2010 19:47:10

Originally Saved By: Cindy Culpepper

Save

Go into Key  
Information  
to  
make  
changes  
if necessary  
and Save.